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start a District Land Mortgage Bank with a view to see that the loans go through these District Land Mortgage Banks. If we have such Banks, it will be only another intervening agency and that would delay matters to that extent. On the other hand, we have got one at each Taluk Headquarter and they are directly dealing with the Central Land Mortgage Bank and we do not find any difficulty in getting the loans sanctioned.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Has it come to the notice of Government that the clientele of the primary Societies from various places find it very difficult to come to Bangalore all the way and have their loans sanctioned ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I do not think that they should come to Bangalore; when once the loan is sanctioned, the amount would go to the Primary Society and there they will disburse the amount.

Mr. SPEAKER.—In order to get the loans sanctioned they will have to come to Bangalore. . . .

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—There is no need to come to Bangalore to get the loans sanctioned, because it is all done on the files and documents that are received in the Central Land Mortgage Bank.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Has it come to the notice of Government that the loanees have got to go to Bangalore to have their loan applications looked into and get them sanctioned if the loans have to be given very early ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—We have been straightening some of these matters and we have made arrangements to get these loans sanctioned as early as possible. Now some of the loans have been sanctioned within about 2 months. That is a pretty short time. And we are trying to do that without any personal intervention by the applicant himself.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—From the point of view of speedy disposal of loan applications, is it not better that the powers and functions of the Central Land Mortgage Bank are decentralised and Mortgage Banks are opened at District Headquarters ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—That is not the viewpoint of the Government. All over India, so far as I know, the Central Land Mortgage Banks are dealing directly with the Primary Societies.

Tangadi Bark (auction).

Q.—310. **Sri T. HANUMIAH** (Hiriyur—Scheduled Castes.)—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amount realised by auction sale of tangadi bark since the last five years up to date in each district in the State ;

(*b*) the names of contractors ;

(*c*) the rate per 'Baram' of tangadi bark ;

(*d*) the wages paid to Harijans in rural areas per 100 lbs. of the said bark (details of wages paid in each district to be furnished) ;

(*e*) the number of barams of tangadi bark produced in each district during the last five years till now as the said commodity is usually exported outside the State by rail ?

A.—**Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA** (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) The produce of tangadi and kakke bark will be sold on lease basis once in two years. The information for the last six years from 1950-52, 1952-54, 1954-56 is furnished (*vide* Appendix below).

(*b*) *Vide* reply to clause (*a*) above.

(*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) As the produce is sold on lease basis along with kakke bark, the particulars such as rate per baram, wages to be paid to Harijans and the number of barams produced are not available with the Department.

The names of the Contractors, who had taken the Tanning Bark Contract from 1950-56, their Addresses, Amounts, etc.

Sl. No.	Name and Address of Contractor	Taluk	Amount
1	2	3	4
	1950-52.		
	Bhadravathi Division.		
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
1	Khazi Abdul Wahab Sab, Santhebennur.	Chennagiri ...	1,670 0
2	B. Ibrahim Khan, Chitaldrug ...	Tarikere ...	465 0
3	Syed Magdum Hussain, Bhadravathi.	Bhadravathi ...	80 0
4	O. Abdul Shukur Sab, Shimoga ...	N. R. Pura ...	30 0
			2,245 0
	Bangalore District.		
1	P. Hanumanthaiah of Bangalore ...	Bangalore North ...	160 0
2	P. Hanumanthiah of Bangalore ...	Bangalore South ...	180 0
3	Bhaktar Sah, Kodigenahalli, Madhugiri Taluk.	Hosakote ...	1,600 0
4	Syed Ghouse *alias* Sabu Sab of Devanahalli.	Devanahalli ...	1,800 0
5	T. B. Rajoo of Bangalore ...	Dodballapur ...	1,900 0
6	Muna Abdul Razak of Dodmaralwadi.	Kankanhalli ...	3,400 0
7	Muna Abdul Razak of Dodmaralwadi.	Channapatna ...	240 0
8	P. Hanumanthaiah of Bangalore ...	Nelamangala ...	110 0
9	P. Hanumanthaiah of Bangalore ...	Ramanagaram ...	750 0
10	T. B. Rajoo of Bangalore ...	Magadi ...	350 0
11	V. Sampangi Ramiah of Bangalore	Anekal ...	220 0
			10,710 0
	Tumkur Division.		
1	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Tumkur Hobli, Tumkur Taluk.	55 0
2	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Kora, Tumkur Taluk ...	130 0
3	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Bellavi Do ...	505 0
4	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Urdigere Do ...	60 0
5	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Gulur Do ...	20 0
6	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Hebbur Do ...	50 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
7	Chowdri Abdul Razak ...	Sira Hobli, Sira Taluk ...	16,005 0
8	S. A. Mohamed Ghouse ...	Bukkapatna, do ...	10,505 0
9	Anandara Mudaliar ...	Goudagere, do ...	16,460 0
10	Anandarai Mudaliar ...	Kallambella, do ...	6,005 0
11	Ramegowda ...	Hulikunte ...	8,005 0
12	Abdul Jaleel ...	Chiknaikanahalli ...	5,805 0
13	V. Shankarappa ...	Gubbi ...	5,505 0
14	M. Abdul Razak and Jabbar Beig.	Turuvekere ...	1,620 0
15	Abdul Sattar ...	Tiptur ...	4,555 0
16	Anandarai Mudaliar ...	Kunigal ...	1 505 0
17	S. A. Jabbar Beig. ...	Koratagere ..	1,585 0
18	S. M. Abdul Jaleel ...	Madhugiri Hobli, Madhugiri Taluk.	3,000 0
19	B. N. Padmanabiah ...	Midigesi, Madhugiri Taluk	4,220 0
20	M. Abdul Razak ...	Ittigadibbanahalli, Madhugiri Taluk.	7,210 0
21	B. N. Padmanabiah and Nagappa	Dodderi, Madhugiri Taluk ..	3,850 0
22	M. Abdul Razack ...	Puravara, do ...	2,800 0
23	M. Bhaktar Sab ...	Kodeganahalli, do ...	2,860 0
24	Abdul Razak ...	Pavagada Hobli, Pavagada Taluk.	10,900 0
25	B. N. Padmanabhiah ...	Nidigal, Pavagada Taluk ...	13,255 0
26	Mohamed Gouse ...	Hoskote, do ...	15,750 0
27	Abdul Razak ...	Nagalmadike, do ...	9,005 0
		Total ...	1,51,225 0
	Mysore Division.		
1	Abdul Kareem Khan, Skin Merchant, Mandy Mohalla, Mysore.	Mysore ...	258 0
2	Abdul Kareem Khan, Skin Merchant, Mandy Mohalla, Mysore.	Hunsur ...	361 0
3	Abdul Kareem Khan, Skin Merchant, Mandy Mohalla, Mysore.	Periapatna ...	116 0
4	C. Abdul Razak, Skin Merchant, Krishnarajpet.	Krishnarajnagar ...	50 0
5	V. Abdul Mazeed, Mandy, Gundlupet.	Gundlupet ...	235 0
6	V. Abdul Mazeed, Mandy, Gundlupet.	Nanjangud ...	551 0
7	M. Abdul Rahim, Skin Merchant, Nanjangud.	T.-Narasipur ...	21 0
8	N. Abdul Khaliq ...	Heggadadevanakote ...	1,520 0
9	M. Abdul Rahim, Skin Merchant, Hosaholalu, Krishnarajpet.	Mandya ...	15 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
10	Mohamed Hyder, Kodambally, Channapatna Taluk.	Maddur ...	5 0
11	N. Addul Khaliq, Skin Merchant, Mandy Mohalla, Mysore.	Srirangapatna ...	10 0
12	M. Abdul Rahim, Hosaholalu, Krishnarajpet.	Krishnarajpet ...	600 0
13	M. Abdul Rahim, Hosaholalu, Krishnarajapet.	Pandavapura ...	50 0
14	Anwarpasha, Merchant, Chamarajanagar.	Chamarajnagar ...	355 0
15	Mohamed Hyder Sab, Kodambally, Channapatna Taluk.	Malavally ...	75 0
16	P. Hanumanthiah, Thangadi Bark Contractor, 20331, Old Poor House Road, C. & M. Station, Bangalore.	Nelamangala ...	180 0
	Total amount for 1950-52 of Mysore Division.		4,402 0
	Shimoga Division.		
1	Abdul Shukur Sab, Contractor, Shimoga.	Shimoga ...	140 0
2	Abdul Shukur Sab, Contractor, Shimoga.	Thirthahalli ...	30 0
3	T. A. Abdul Gaffar Sab, Contractor, Honnali. (Out of this, Rs. 285 being the final instalment is still due. The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga has been addressed to recover it as arrears of land revenue).	Honnali ...	1,140 0
			1,310 0
	Kolar District.		
1	M. Abdul Rawoof, Bark Contractor, Mulbagal.	Mulbagal ..	4,200 0
2	K. M. Abdul Huq, son of Sri Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Srinivasapur ...	15,000 0
3	Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Kolar ...	8,000 0
4	K. M. Basheer Ahmed, care of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Chintamani ...	15,000 0
5	Mohamed Masthan Sab, Ammarpet, Kolar.	Malur ...	4,110 0
6	Abdul Majeed Khan *alias* Ameer Jan, Forest Contractor, Kolar.	Chickballapur ...	3,125 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
7	Abdul Majeed Khan *alias* Ameer Jan, Forest Contractor, Kolar.	Gauribidanur ...	5,525 0
8	C. N. Abdul Wahab Saheb, Bark Contractor, Chintamani.	Sidlaghatta ...	16,205 0
9	Syed Khader, Bark Contractor, Adagal, Srinivaspur Taluk.	Gudibanda ...	3,005 0
10	T. Ramalinga Reddy, Bark Contractor, Chelur Post *via* Chintamani.	Bagepalli ...	12,005 0
	Total amount of Kolar District for 1950-52.		86,175 0
	Hassan Division.		
1	K. Narasimha Shetty, Land Holder, Arsikere.	Arsikere ...	10,500 0
2	K. Narasimha Shetty, Land Holder, Arsikere.	Belur ...	225 0
3	M. Abdul Razak Bark Contractor, Pavagada.	Chennarayapatna ...	2,705 0
4	Abdul Waheed, Merchant, Arsikere.	Alur ...	
5	Abdul Waheed, Merchant, Arsikere.	Arkalgud ...	
6	Abdul Waheed, Merchant, Arsikere.	Manjarabad ...	60 0
7	Abdul Waheed, Merchant, Arsikere.	Hole-Narsipur ...	
8	Abdul Waheed, Merchant, Arsikere.	Hassan	
			13,490 0
	Chitaldrug District.		
1	C. Abdul Rahim of Chitaldrug ...	Chitaldrug Taluk except 11 villages.	15,110 0
2	S. Chennaveerappa of Egkere ...	11 villages of Chitaldrug Taluk.	4,000 0
3	G. Shankar Setty of Pavagada ...	Challakere Taluk except Parasurampur Hobli of Hiriyur Taluk except Dharampur Hobli.	98,650 0
4	H. N. Rame Gowda of Burgur Sira Taluk.	Parasurampur Hobli ...	19,500 0
5	S. Linganna of Hovina Hobli, Hiriyur Taluk.	Dharmapur Hobli ...	14,260 0
6	G. Shankar Setty of Pagavada ...	Hosadurga ...	41,500 0
7	Safdar Hussain of Sira and L. Mohamed Ghouse of Madekasira.	Holalkere ..	13,200 0
8	Abdul Gafoor of Sreerampur ...	Davangere ...	2,100 0
9	Do ...	Harihar	500 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
10	A. R. Veera Chandrappa and M. Khaja Hussain of Molakalmuru.	Molakalmuru Kasaba Hobli.	8,550 0
11	M. Bhaktar Sab of Madhugiri and Abdul Khaliq of Rampur	Devasamudra Hobli ...	3,900 0
12	A. Ananda Raya Mudaliar of Tumkur.	Jagalur	12,303 0
			2,33,575 0
	Sagar Division.		
1	B. S. Akbar Sab, Forest Contractor, Sagar.	Sagar ... Nagar ... Sorab and ... Shikaripur ...	100 0
			100 0
	Chikmagalur Division.		
1	A. Anandaraya Mudaliar, 119 Cavalry Road, Bangalore.	Kanchikal Bidre, Hirinallur, and Yagati Hoblis of Kadur Taluk.	6,525 0
2	M. A. Rahim, Skin Merchant, Kadur	Kadur, Birur and Sakrapatna Hoblis of Kadur Taluk.	6,150 0
3	N. Mohamed Hayath, Patel, Devanoor.	Chickmagalur ...	900 0
4	M. A. Rahim, Skin Merchant, Kadur	Mudigere ...	12 0
5	M.A. Rahim, Skin Merchant, Kadur	Koppa ...	13 0
			13,600 0
	1952-1954. *Bhadravathi Division.*		
1	Abdul Huq, Ambur ...	Narasimharajapura ...	480 0
2	K. Mohamed Zackria, Bhadravathi	Bhadravathi ...	780 0
3	Khazi Abdul Wahab Sab, Santebennur.	Channagiri ...	1,250 0
4	B. Ibrahim Khan, Chitaldrug ...	Tarikere ...	1,250 0
			3,760 0
	Bangalore District.		
1	P. Hanumanthiah of Bangalore ...	Bangalore North ..	100 0
2	P. Hanumanthiah of Bangalore ...	Bangalore South ...	160 0
3	... ...	Hoskote ...	...
4	Abdul Salam, Cloth Merchant, Vijayapura.	Devanahalli ...	1,850 0
5	P. Hanumanthiah of Bangalore ...	Dodballapur ...	1,530 0
6	Muna Abdul Razak of Dodmaralwadi.	Kankanhalli ...	3,305 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
7	Muna Abdul Razak of Dodmaralwadi.	Channapatna	115 0
8	V. Sampangi Ramiah of Bangalore	Nelamangala ...	55 0
9	P. Hanumanthiah of Bangalore ...	Ramanagaram ...	510 0
10	B. N. Muniswamy, Byrasandra village, Madhure Hobli, Dodballapur Post.	Magadi ...	1,030 0
11	V. Sampangi Ramiah of Bangalore	Anekal ...	165 0
			8,820 0
	Tumkur District.		
1	M. Abdul Sattar ...	Tiptur ...	4,335 0
2	M. Abdul Sattar ...	Turuvekere ...	1,240 0
3	S. M. Abdul Zaleel ...	Chiknaikanahalli ...	5,478 6
4	M. V. Shankarappa ...	Gubbi ...	4,805 0
5	B. N. Padmanabiah ...	Tumkur, Koratagere, Sira, Kunigal and Madhugiri Taluks.	50,101 0
			65,959 6
	Mysore Division.		
1	Abdul Kareem Khan, Skin Merchant, Mandi Mohalla, Mysore.	Mysore ...	30 0
2	Mohamed Osman, Proprietor, Sri Krishna Rice Mills, Mysore, Chamaraja Road.	Hunsur ...	100 0
3	Abdul Subban Sahib, son of Abdul Khader Sab, Ambur (N. A. District).	Periyapatna ...	365 0
4	V. Sampangi Ramiah, Grain Merchant and Commission Agent, Chamarajpet, Bangalore.	Krishnarajnagar ...	25 0
5	V. Abdul Mazeed, Mandy, Gundlupet.	Gundlupet ...	160 0
6	V. Abdul Mazeed, Mandy, Gundlupet.	Nanjangud ...	355 0
7	H. Ismail Khan, son of Baji Hussain, Skin Merchant, Chamarajanagar.	T. Narsipur ...	10 0
8	Ibrahim Beig, Proprietor, Union Beedi Factory, Mandi Mohalla, Mysore.	Heggadadevankote ...	2,700 0
9	Syed Usoof and Syed Ali, Contractors, Belur, Nagamangala Taluk.	Mandya ...	20 0
10	Muna Mohiyudeen Sab, Doddamaralwadi, Kanakapur Taluk, Bangalore District.	Maddur ...	35 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
11	Shaik Obedulla *alias* Ameer Jan, Bark Contractor, Nagamangala Taluk.	Srirangapatna ...	10 0
12	M. Abdul Rahim, Hosaholalu, Krishnarajpet Taluk.	Krishnarajpet ...	205 0
13	V. Abdul Mazeed, Mandy, Gundlupet Taluk.	Pandavapura ...	40 0
14	H. Ismail Khan, son of Baji Hussain, Skin Merchant, Chamarajanagar.	Chamarajnagar ...	615 0
15	Muna Mohadeen Sab, Doddamaralwady, Kanakapura.	Malavally ...	155 0
16	V. Sampangi Ramiah, Grain Merchant and Commission Agent, Chamarajpet, Bangalore City.	Nagamangala ...	1,350 0
	Total for 1952-54 of Mysore Division.	... ...	6,175 0
	Shimoga Division.		
1	Abdul Shukur Sab, Contractor, Shimoga.	Shimoga ...	690 0
2	Abdul Shukur Sab, Shimoga ...	Thirthahalli ...	710 0
3	K. Abdul Sammad, Contractor, Shimoga.	Honnali ...	600 0
	Total ..	.. ...	2,000 0
	Kolar District.		
1	M. Abdul Rawoof, Forest Contractor, Mulbagal.	Mulbagal ...	4,050 0
2	K. M. Abdul Huq, son of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Srinivasapur ...	16,010 0
3	Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Sab, Bark Contractor, Kolar.	Kolar ...	8,010 0
4	K. M. Basheer Ahmed, Care of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar	Bangarpet ..	3,405 0
5	K. M. Basheer Ahmed, Care of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Malur ...	2,755 0
6	K. M. Abdul Khayum, son of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Chintamani ...	16,000 0
7	K. M. Abdul Khayum, son of Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Saheb, Kolar.	Sidlaghatta ...	15,000 0
8	T. Ramalinga Reddy, Bark Contractor, Chelur Post *via* Chintamani.	Bagepalli ...	11,615 0
9	Syed Khader, Contractor, Adagal, Srinivasapur Taluk.	Gudibanda ...	3,005 0

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1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
10	C. Hazarath Beig, Silk Merchant, Chinnasandra, Chintamani Taluk.	Chikballapur ...	3,200 0
11	C. Hazarath Beig, Silk Merchant, Chinnasandra, Chintamani Taluk.	Gauribidanur ...	3,325 0
		Total for 1952-54 of Kolar District ...	86,375 0
	Hassan Division.		
1	K. Narasimha Shetty, Land Holder, Arsikere.	Arsikere ...	3,500 0
2	Askar Alik/Didagar, Hiresave Hebli, Chennarayapatna Taluk.	Belur ...	163 5
3	Kadlebetta Mohamed Sab, Bark Contractor, Sira.	Chennarayapatna ...	2,008 5
4	Askar Ali Didagar, Hiresave Hobli, Chennarayapatna Taluk.	Alur, Arkalgud, Manjarabad, Holenarsipur, Hassan.	125 0
		Total ...	5,796 10
	Chitaldrug District.		
1	C. Abdul Rahim of Chitaldrug ...	Chitaldrug Taluk, except 11 villages in Chitaldrug Kasaba.	11,387 10
2	S. Channaveerappa of Egkere ...	11 villages in Chitaldrug Kasaba Hobli.	3,014 6
3	T. M. K. Pur Sab, President, District Harijan Arthikabhivridhi Co-operative Society, Ltd., Chitaldrug.	Katire, Chitaldrug District with the exception of Chitaldrug Taluk and its 11 villages.	90,000 0
		Total for 1952-54 of Chitaldrug District ...	1,04,402 0
	Sagar Division.		
1	N. Abdul Rashid, Merchant, Shimoga.	Hosanagar ...	450 0
2	B. S. Akbar Sab, Forest Contractor, Sagar.	Sagar ...	160 0
3	B. S. Akbar Sab, Forest Contractor, Sagar.	Sorab ...	350 0
4	K. Bharmaji Rao, Sheep Merchant, Shimoga.	Shikaripur ...	350 0
		Total ...	1,310 0
	Chikmagalur Division.		
1	N. Mohamed Hayath, Patel, Devanoor.	Mudigere ...	10 0
2	N. Mohamed Hayath, Patel, Devanoor.	Chikmagalur ...	400 0
3	N. Mohamed Hayath, Patel, Devanoor.	Sakrapatna, Kadur and Birur Hoblis of Kadur Taluk.	1,675 0

Sl. No.	Name and Address of Contractor	Taluk	Amount
1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
4	O. Abdul Shukoor, General Merchant, Shimoga.	Koppa ...	20 0
5	D. Abdul Khuddus, Bark Contractor, Hosadurga.	Kanchikal Bidre, Hirenallur and Yagati Hoblis of Kadur Taluk.	1,725 0
		Total ..	3,830 0
	1954-56.		
	Chitaldrug District.		
1	Sri T. M. K. Peersab, President, District Harijan Arthikabhivridhi Society, Chitaldrug.	Whole District ...	1,50,003 0
2	Sri B. S. Akbar Sab ...	Sagar, Shikaripur, Sorab, Hosanagar Taluks.	1,450 0
		Total ...	1,51,453 0
	Chikmagalur Division.		
1	Sri V. K. Abdul Rahman, Madur	Kadur, Birur and Sakrepatna Hoblis.	1,775 0
2	Do	Kanchikalbidre Hirenallur and Yagati Hobljes.	6,120 0
3	Do	Chikmagalur Taluk ...	425 0
4	Sri O. Abdul Shukur, Shimoga ...	Koppa Taluk ...	20 0
4	Do	Mudigere Taluk ...	20 0
			8,360 0
	Kolar District.		
1	Sri K. M. Mohamed Khasim, Kolar	Kolar Taluk ...	8,400 0
2	Sri K. M. Abdul Huq, Kolar ...	Srinivaspur Taluk ...	16,100 0
3	Do	Bangarpet Taluk ...	3,500 0
4	Do	Malur Taluk ...	2,495 0
5	Sri K. M. Abdul Khayam ...	Chintamani Taluk ...	20,000 0
6	Sri M. Abdul Hawool, Mulbagal ...	Mulbagal Taluk ..	4,050 0
7	Sri Hazarath Beig, Chinnesandra	Chikballapur Taluk ..	3,230 0
8	Sri T. Adinarayana Reddy, Tholepalli.	Gudibanda Taluk ..	3,210 0
9	Sri A. Mohamed Khasim, Madras	Sidlaghatta Taluk	16,500 0
10	Sri T. Ramalinga Reddy, Chelur ...	Bagepalli Taluk ...	11,705 0
11	Sri P. Narasimhappa, Hindupur ...	Gouribidanur Taluk ...	3,150 0
			92,340 0

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1	2	3	4
	Bellary District.		
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
1	Sri K. S. Veerabhadrappa, Sandur	Sandur Forests ...	935 0
2	Sri Y. Abdul Majid ...	Hadagali Taluk ...	2 100 0
		Harpanahalli ...	2,650 0
3	Sri M. Abdul Rashid, Hospet ...	Tanagatha Firka ...	2,450 0
		Hospet Taluk ...	1,900 0
		Bellary Taluk ...	4,010 0
4	Sri Abdul Khader, Bellary ...	Siriguppa Taluk ...	2,260 0
5	Sri Hagathi Chennappa Naik, Rayadurg.	Kudligi Taluk ...	10,000 0
6	Sri A. M. Ghouse, Kudligi ...	Cherana Firka ...	2,050 0
			28,355 0
	Bangalore District.		
1	Sri P. Hanumanthiah ...	Bangalore North ...	110 0
2	Sri Moosa Mohiyuddin Sab ...	Bangalore South ...	570 0
3	Sri Hazarathi Beig ...	Hoskote ...	1,455 0
4	Sri V. Narayanappa and Sri B. N Muniswamiah.	Devanahalli ...	1,325 0
5	Sri H. Babasab ...	Dodballapur ...	1,401 0
6	Moosa Mohiyuddin Sab ...	Kanakapura ...	7,160 0
		Chennapatna ...	500 0
7	M. Abdul Jabbar ...	Nelamangala ...	75 0
8	V. Sampangi Ramiah ...	Ramanagaram ...	1,300 0
9	M. Abdul Ravoof ...	Magadi ...	800 0
10	V. Sanpangi Ramiah ...	Anekal ...	450 0
			14,146 0
	Bhadravathi Division.		
1	B. Ibrahim Khan, Chitaldrug ...	Tarikere ...	935 0
2	K. Mohamad Zakaria, Bhadravathi	Bhadravathi ...	800 0
3	V. Abdul Huq, Ambur ...	N. R. Pura ...	205 0
4	Khazi Abdul Wahab, Santhekadur	Chennagiri ...	1,505 0
			2,945 0
	Tumkur District.		
1	S. M. Abdul Jaleel, Sira ...	Chicknayakanahalli ...	6,205 0
		Tavarekere ...	2,995 0
2	M. Abdul Sattar, Tiptur ...	Tiptur ...	6,935 0
3	B. W. Padmanabhaiah, Tumkur ...	Madhugiri ...	11,100 0
		Pavagada ...	21,150 0
4	Chowdri Abdul Rasheed, Tumkur...	Tumkur ...	465 0
5	B. N. Padmanabhaiah, Tumkur ...	Sira ...	23,500 0
		Gubbi ...	3.505 0
6	B. M. Abdul Jaleel, Sira ...	Koratagere ...	505 0
	T. B. Hanumantha Raju, Bangalore	Kunigal ...	935 0
			77,295 0

Sl. No.	Name and Address of Contractor	Taluk	Amount
1	2	3	4
	Sriyuths—		Rs. a.
	Mysore Division.		
1	N. A. Khalique ...	T. Narasipur, Mysore and Periyapatna ...	Mysore District 2,358 0
2	W. Ismail Khan ...	Chamarajanagar ...	
3	V. Sampangi Ramiah ...	Nagamangala ...	
4	K. M. Somiah ...	Malavalli ...	
5	B. G. Abdul Hai ...	Krishnarajanagar ...	
6	Ahmad Hussein ...	Mandya and Maddur ...	Mandya District 1,625 0
7	Abdul Kareem Khan ...	Hunsur and Srirangapatna	
8	M. Abdul Rahim ...	Pandavapura and Krishnarajpet.	
9	V. Abdul Rakheeb ...	Gundlupet and Nanjangud	
10	Ibrahim Beig ...	Heggadadevankote ...	
			3,985 0
	Hassan District.		
1	Abdul Sattar, Tiptur ...	Belur ...	235 0
		Hassan, Arkalgud, Alur, Sakaleshpur and Hole-Narasipur.	80 0
2	Syed Abdul Rubb, Sira ...	Arsikere ...	6,010 0
3	Kadlebathi Mohamed Sab, Sira ...	Chennarayapatna ...	1,750 0
			8,075 0
	Shimoga Division.		
1	K. Abdul Sammad, Shimoga ...	Honnali ...	1,255 0
2	O. Abdul Shakur Sab, Shimoga ...	Thirthahalli ...	600 0
3	Do	Shimoga ...	450 0
			2,305 0

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ತಾವು ತಂಗಡಿ ಚಕ್ಕೆಯ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೊದಲಿನಿಂದಲೂ ಒಂದೇ ಮಾರಾಟದ ರೀತಿಯನ್ನು ಅನುಸರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದೀರಲ್ಲವೇ?

*ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ತಂಗಡಿ ಚಕ್ಕೆ ಮಾರಾಟ ಒಂದೇ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯನ್ನು ಮೊದಲು ಯಾವ ರೀತಿ ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರೋ ಈಗಲೂ ಅದೇ ರೀತಿ ಈ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರೂ ಅನುಸರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರಲ್ಲವೇ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Yes, the right of collection of Tangadi is sold by auction.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹಿಂದಿನ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಬದಲಾದರೂ, ಆ ಪದ್ಧತಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯಾಗದೆ ಅದೇ ನಡೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಬರುತ್ತಿದೆಯೆಂಬುದು ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಅದಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಉತ್ತಮವಾದ ಪದ್ಧತಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದರೆ ಖಂಡಿತ ಅದನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಅನುಸರಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹಳೆಯ ಪದ್ಧತಿ ಹರಿಜನರನ್ನು ಅಧೋಗತಿಗೆ ಇಳಿಸುವಂಥದೆಂಬುದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಹರಿಜನರಿಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಲಾಭದಾಯಕವಾಗಿರುವ ಮತ್ತು ಸಹಾಯಕವಾಗಿರುವ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಬೇರೆ ಉತ್ತಮ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಮುಂದಿಟ್ಟರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಸಹಾನುಭೂತಿಯಿಂದ ಅದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯನ್ನು ಬದಲಾಯಿಸಿ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ basis ಮೇರೆ ಹರಿಜನರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟು, ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಬರತಕ್ಕ

(ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ)

ಹಣವನ್ನು ಸೊಸೈಟಿಗಳ ಮೂಲಕ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಅವರ economic status ನ್ನು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿಯೂ, ಹೋಬಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಈ ತಂಗಡಿ ಚರ್ಕೆ ಬಡಿಯುವವರು ಬಡವರು. ಅವರು ಯಾವ ವಿಧವಾದ ಆಧಾರವೂ ಇಲ್ಲದೇ ಇರುವವರು. ಅಂಥವರು ಒಂದು ಹೋಬಳಿಯಲ್ಲಾಗಲಿ, ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಾಗಲಿ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು, ಅವರು ನಮ್ಮ ಗ್ರಾಮಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಡಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಮುಂದೆ ಬಂದರೆ, ಆಗ ಅದನ್ನು ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹಿಂದಿನಸಲ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಬೇಸಿಸ್ ಮೇಲೆ ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್‌ನವರು ಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೇಳಿದಾಗ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏನು ಮಾಡಿದರು?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಈ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ನಾನು ಆಗಲೇ ಇನ್ನೊಂದು ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಈ ತಂಗಡಿ ಚರ್ಕೆ ತೆಗೆಯುವವರು ಈ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘದ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಆ ಸಂಘದ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನವರು, ಸೆಕ್ರೆಟರಿ, ಪ್ರೆಸಿಡೆಂಟ್ ರವರು ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮಾಡಿದರೆ, ಅದು ಸಹಕಾರ ತತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ಅನುಗುಣವಾಗಿದ್ದರೆ, ಆಗ ಅದನ್ನು special ಆಗಿ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಜನ ಹರಿಜನ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಇದ್ದು ಬೇರೆ ಕೆಲವರು ಮಾತ್ರ technical ಸದಸ್ಯರಾಗಿರತಕ್ಕಡ್ದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.— For a Co-operative Society to be given all concessions by the Government, it must consist of those people who are directly engaged in that industry and who will be directly benefited by it. Such a kind of society exists for other industries and is recognised. If societies are organised like that, Government will be most willing to consider their applications and give them very reasonable concessions.

Sri T. HANUMIAH.—I do not want any co-operation. We want help. What is the use of giving a lecture? ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಹರಿಜನರು 99 ಭಾಗ ಸಂಘದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಲ್ಲರತಕ್ಕ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜಿಂಗ್ ಡೈರೆಕ್ಟರ್ ಹರಿಜನರೇ. ಆದರೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಸಹಾಯ ಹರಿಜನರಿಗೆ ಆಗುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘದ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿದರು. ಮಾಡಿದ ತರುವಾಯ ಅವರು ಆಗಲೇ ಅದನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡು 54-56ರ ಬಾಬಿನ ವರೆಗೂ ಎಲ್ಲವನ್ನೂ ತೀರ್ಮಾನಮಾಡಿ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸಹಾಯ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.— ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನವರು ತಂಗಡಿ ಚರ್ಕೆಯ ಉತ್ಪನ್ನವನ್ನು ಗೇಣಿ ಆಧಾರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದರಿಂದ ಹರಿಜನರು ಲಕ್ಷಾಂತರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಯಾವ ಚರ್ಕೆ, ಎಷ್ಟು ತಯಾರಾಗಿದೆ, ಒಂದು ಬಾರುಮ್‌ಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ದುಡ್ಡು ಎಂಬುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿಲ್ಲ. ಇಲಾಖೆಯವರೆಲ್ಲ ಏನು ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಅದು ಇಲಾಖೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಕೆಲಸವಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಮೈಸೂರು ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಚರ್ಕೆ ತಯಾರಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ, ಯಾವ ತರಹ ದರ ಇದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆಯವರು ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡಿದರೆ, ಕಂಟ್ರಾಕ್ಟು ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಂಡಿರುವವರು ತಾವೇ ಅದನ್ನು ಕೂಡಿಸಿ, ತಮಗೆ ಎಲ್ಲಿ ಲಾಭ ಬರುತ್ತದೋ, ಧಾರಣೆ ಎಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೆಯೋ, ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಅದು ನಮಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆ. ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ತಾವು ಹೇಳಬೇಕಾದದು ಇಲ್ಲ. ಎಷ್ಟು ತಯಾರಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ? ಎಷ್ಟೋ ಜನರು ಹರಿಜನರಿಂದ ಕಿತ್ತುಕೊಂಡು ಈ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಹಾಳು ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರ statisticsನ್ನು collect ಮಾಡದೆ, "ನಾವು ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ, ನಮಗೇನೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ" ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುವ ಉತ್ತರ ಸರಿಯೇ ಎಂದು ನಾನು ಕೇಳುತ್ತಾ ಇರುವುದು.

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಈ statisticsನ್ನು ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆಯವರು collect ಮಾಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಎಷ್ಟು ಬಾರಮ್ ಚರ್ಕೆ ಹೊರಗಡೆ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿದೆ, ಎಷ್ಟು ತಯಾರಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ, ಎಷ್ಟು ಕೂಲಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೀರಿ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿದು ಕೊಳ್ಳತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ನಿಮ್ಮ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವಲ್ಲವೇ? ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡುವಾಗ ಸರಕಾರದವರು ಎಷ್ಟು ಚರ್ಕೆ ತಯಾರಾಗಿದೆ, ಹೊರಗಡೆಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಚರ್ಕೆ ಮೈಸೂರು ದೇಶದಿಂದ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿದೆ, ರೈಲ್ವೆಯಿಂದ ಎಷ್ಟು ಬಾರಮ್ ಚರ್ಕೆ ಹೊರಗಡೆ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿದು ಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಆ information ಎಲ್ಲವನ್ನೂ ಶೇಖರಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಒಂದು ದೊಡ್ಡ ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿ ಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಆ informationಅನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆಯವರು ಶೇಖರ ಮಾಡಲಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಈಗಲಾದರೂ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಈ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆ ಹರಿಜನರ ಕೈಕೆಳಗೆ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡದೆ, ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಬರಬೇಕಾದ ಹಣವನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು, ಹರಿಜನರ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಉದ್ಧಾರಮಾಡಲು ತಕ್ಷಣ ಒಂದು ಕಮಿಟಿ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಯೋಚನೆಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ತಾವು ಏನಾದರೂ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಪ್ರೊಪೋಸಲ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಮೊನ್ನೆ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಹನುಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹದಿನೈದು ದಿವಸಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಮಿಟಿ ರಿಪೋರ್ಟ್‌ನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ. T. A. ಮತ್ತು D. A. ಯಾವುದೂ ಬೇಡ. ಅವರು ಒಂದು ವಾರದೊಳಗೆ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಆ ತರಹ ಒಂದು ಸಮಿತಿಯನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸಲಿ.

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಈಗ 15 ದಿವಸ ದೊಳಗೆ ಒಂದು proposalನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು. ಅದನ್ನು ಎಷ್ಟು ಬೇಗನೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೋ ಅಷ್ಟು ಬೇಗನೆ ವಿಚಾರಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—Are the Government aware that this is the main occupation of the Harijans in Chitaldurg District ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Yes.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—Have the Government given this contract to Co-operative Societies at any time ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The Harijan Arthikabhivridhi Sangha of Chitaldrug has taken this contract in auction sale.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that the Society has made a little profit and it has divided it amongst the shareholders who are Harijan labourers ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The Harijan labourers that are engaged in this industry are not all members of this Society and so we are not aware that the Harijan labourers that are in tens of thousands working all over the Chitaldrug District are given any dividend or profit out of this.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—This society instead of giving Re. 1 or Rs. 1-8-0 for labourers who work in this industry. . . .

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Government have conceded the suggestion of Sri Hanumiah that they would consider any proposal that might be made in this behalf.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—I would like to know whether the Government are aware that these labourers are paid nearly Rs. 8 per *barm* as wages ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The Government do not have that information at present.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—What prompted the Government to discontinue giving this contract to the same society even though they are aware that the Society has done some good work ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Sir, the Society did not consist of the actual workers in this Tangadi Bark business and hence the Society was not recognised.

Sri T. HANUMIAH.—On a point of information.

Mr. SPEAKER.—There can be no point of information at this stage.

Sri T. HANUMIAH.—I rise to a point of order.

Mr. SPEAKER.—There can be no point of order during question time.

Sri T. HANUMIAH.—You may rule out the point of order if you like. The Hon'ble Minister is always telling that Harijan members are not in the Society. Let me tell him that 99 per cent are Harijan members in that Society.

Mr. SPEAKER.—You may meet the Minister and discuss that with him. What is the use of raising a point of order now ?

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—May I know whether the Government has given this contract in Chitaldrug District to the Harijana Arthika Abhivriddhi Society at an upset price or in public auction ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—For 1954-56, it was given in public auction.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—For 1952-54 ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—It was given at an upset price. That is what I am informed.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—May I know how many members are in this Society ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I am sorry I do not have that information. But I can supply it to him afterwards.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—What is the share capital of this Society ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—For that information, I would like to have notice.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Have the Government directed the Co-operative Department to audit the accounts of this Society ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Like all other societies, I am sure that the accounts of this Society are also audited.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—May I know what are the profits derived in 1952-54 and . . .

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is evident that they do not know the details of the Society.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—If a question on this Society or even a short notice question is put, I will be able to give all the answers required.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—May I know what is the minimum wage that these workers working in Chitaldrug District have derived from this Society?

Mr. SPEAKER.—They have replied that they do not know.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Do the Government consider the fixing up of a minimum wage to these workers?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—How does that arise from this question—fixing minimum wage for the workers in the Thangadi Bark industry?

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Do the Government guarantee any minimum wage for those working in this field?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I do not think it is the concern of the Government.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—It is the concern of the Government—fixing minimum wage for any and all industries.

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Not for all industries. But for scheduled-industries only.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—In this particular industry, do the Government consider it desirable to fix a minimum wage?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I will have it examined.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Are the Government aware that the Harijans are being exploited by contractors and including this Society. . . .

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—As I said, it will be examined.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—May I know, Sir, how much profit has this Society derived this year?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I cannot give that information now. I will furnish the same to him if he asks me for it separately.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Is it not a fact that the Hon'ble Minister himself visited the society office once and looked into the list of shareholders of the Society?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Yes, Sir.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Is it not a fact that he found all the members except three are Harijans?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Probably a great majority are Harijans.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Is it not a fact that the great majority of the members are the workers?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Sir, for a society to be recognised by Government and to be given special consideratiou, it must consist of labourers that are interested in that society and are working there, If a society is organised in the hobli, taluk or in the circle consisting of all the labourers, that is the principle on which Government can recognise it and also help.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Is it not a fact that the members are enrolled from all the hobli and the taluk, and the Society has been registered according to the Co-operative Societies Act and that the Secretary is the Inspector of Societies, who is a Government servant?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Probably so, Sir.

Sri. G. DUGGAPPA.—Will the Government at least help the Co-operative Society?

Mr. SPEAKER.—They have already said that if any concrete proposal is placed before the Government, they are going to consider the same.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—If they are forming a committee to go into the question, may I ask the concerned Minister whether he will consider this question sympathetically?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—If a proposal comes, we will consider it favourably.

Water Supply and Drainage Schemes for Municipalities in Chitaldrug District.

Q.—165. Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether water supply and drainage schemes sanctioned for municipalities in Chitaldrug District have been completed;